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Will Harris McGehee, son of T. A. McGehee of the mercantile firm of McGehee Bros., Clarksville, died Thursday, after a long illness, aged 27 years. He was a native of Louisa county, Va., and came to Clarksville with his parents in infancy. He leaves a wife, who was before her marriage Miss Bertie Dal'ar, of Princeton, Ky. The deceased was a cousin of Mr. H C. McGehee, of Gracey.

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Ends In Death Of Will H. Mc- Nathan Shannon Fatally Injured at Clarksville.

> Clarksville, Tenn., May 29 .- A fatal accident took place about 9 o'clock this morning in connection with tearing down of a wall of one of the old Stewart buildings. The wall was seen to be in a shaky condition and ready to fall, when some one shouted a warning to the men. Three of the men jumped to safety. but the fourth, Nathan Shannon, was less fortunate, as one portion of the wall, falling in a different direction from the other, buried him under a mass of brick and mortar. A gang of men worked heroically to remove the mass from the unfortunate man.

Thursday at Lake Tandy.

Several picnic parties spent Thursday at Lake Tandy. Among those in them were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Long and Mrs. C. H. Tandy; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Long, Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Blakey, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Breathitt, Mrs. E. N. Fruit, Mrs. Jas. Breathitt and Miss Lizzie in Riverside cemetery will be decor-Breathitt

VERGE OF WAR.

Over to the Torch by Them.

Our State Department Looks Ollie James Allowed a Place on for a Long and Tedious Campaign.

Washington, May 31.-The situation in Cuba is growing more critical daily. The insurgents are burning large quantities of cane, as well as houses. For the most part it is foreign property that is suffering. The people of Guantanamo and the outlying districts are greatly alarmed and are demanding more efficient

From their knowledge of the campaign methods of the rebel leaders, state department officials do not anticipate anything in the nature of a general engagement, but believe that the rebels will avoid any such test of strength with their raw and half-armed levies. Instead they are expected to break up into small squads and take to the bush, which, of course, would be most unwelcome to foreign interests as increasing the danger to isolated American-owned plantations, exposed to the raids of irresponsible guerillas.

Eight Men-c-war of the Atlantic squadron are at Key West anchored the fleet dispatched here to await eventualities in Cuba.

The vessels which arrived this morning were the Washington, plete surprise. Georgia, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio and Minnesota. 'The latter is the fllagship of Rear Admiral N. R. Usher, commander of the provisional fleet, who arrived here last night over-

Confederate Day.

The Confederate decoration day, June 3, will be observed next Mon-Virginia Park, after which the graves Confederate Soldiers buried ated with flowers.

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Houses and Cane Fields Given Administration Made Cle a Sweep In The State Convention.

The Delegation Only Concession.

Louisville, Ky., May 30.-With the State administration victorious at every point from the election of James B. McCreary as temporary chairman to the selection of J. C. C. Mayo as national committeeman and Rufus W. Vansant as chairman of the Central and executive committees, the Democratic convention adjourn ed at 1 o'clock this morning.

Ollie James was defeated at every stage of the game. It was demonstrated again and again that his claims of strength were not founded on fact, but were made only for the effect that they would have on uninstructed delegates. The only point gained by Mr. James was in the matter of obtaining instructions for Champ Clark for President. But on this point there was practically no difference of opinion in the State, nearly every county being for Champ

The most dramatic incident of the convention was the unprecedented action of Ollie James in placing himin the harbor. They form part of self in nomination for temporary chairman.

It took the delegates and many of Mr. James' own followers by com-

Urey Woodson Defeated.

But it was not James alone that went down to defeat. With him went Urey Woodson, for sixteen years a member of the Democratic National Committee from Kentucky. Having disposed of Ollie James at the afternoon session, the Administration took Mr. Woodson's scalp at the night session and elected John day with, a dinner to be served at C. C. Mayo, the mountain millionaire, one of the most powerful of the organization leaders, to succeed him.

> Then, determined to sweep the platter clean, the Administration made John M. Stevenson, of Winchester, the next victim. Mr. Stevenson was easy prey. Indeed, his name was not mentioned in the convention and Rufus Vansant, of Ashland, was elected chairman without a dissenting vote.

Thus did the Administration tri umph over its opponents. With one telling blow it put the opposition to route and left the leaders, dazed and bewildered. It was an old-time organization victory won under the leadership of Gov. McCreary, Percy Haly, John C. C. Mayo, Justus Goebel, J. C. W. Beckham, Tom Rhea, Johnson Camden and Judge Allie W.

Arrayed against the organization were Ollie James, Henry Watterson, Mayor Head, A. O. Stanley, Campbeil Cantrill, Swager Sherley, John H. Whallen, Frank McGrath and Urey Woodson.

The Delegates.

At Large.-Gov. James B. Mc Creary, Olie M. James, J. C. W Beckham, John C. Mayo, Alternates Allie M. Young, Justus Goebel, A. O. Stanley and Ben Johnson.

First District-Dr. Fred Larue and Allison Tyler. Second District-P. B. Miller and

Lavega Clements. Third District-J. H. Durham and W. L. Porter.

Fourth District-Morris H. Beard and J. L. Druein.

Fifth District-W. B. Haldeman, John Whallen and W. O. Head. Sixth District-M. L. Downs and C. Terrell.

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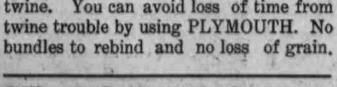
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